

Message Text

SECRET

PAGE 01 HAVANA 00263 012303Z
ACTION SS-25

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SSO-00 /026 W
-----124208 012307Z /65
O 012010Z FEB 78
FM USINT HAVANA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 1069

S E C R E T HAVANA 0263

STADIS//////////

EXDIS

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINR, CU
SUBJECT: PROFESSOR BLAKEY

REF: STATE 24389

1. ON REFLECTION I HAVE RESERVATIONS ABOUT SUGGESTION IN PARA 1
REFTEL THAT IF MEMBERS OF CONGRESS PARTICIPATE THIS VISIT CAN STILL
BE KEPT SECRET. IN MY VIEW THERE IS RISK OF EXPOSURE UNLESS CUBANS
ARE ASKED TO TAKE EXCEPTIONAL MEASURES TO ASSURE SECRECY, INCLUDING
SPECIAL HOUSING OTHER THAN HOTELS, AND DELEGATION AGREES TO STAY
OUT OF PUBLIC VIEW.

2. MY CONCERN THAT CONGRESSMEN MAY BE RECOGNIZED AT AIRPORT OR ANY
OTHER PUBLIC PLACE IS HEIGHTENED BY FACT THAT THIS IS HEIGHT OF U.S.
TOURIST SEASON IN CUBA. IN ADDITION, THERE WILL BE DELEGATION FROM
WASHINGTON PRESS CLUB HERE FEBRUARY 4-11, AND FROM EAST-WEST TRADE
COUNCIL (WITH ACCOMPANYING PRESS) ON FEBRUARY 13-18.

3. I ASSUME CODELS YATRON AND BLACK CAUCUS ARE STILL POSSIBILITIES
FOR FEBRUARY VISITS TO CUBA.

4. I THEREFORE RECOMMEND THAT DEPARTMENT CONSIDER HOW WE SHOULD
SECRET

SECRET

PAGE 02 HAVANA 00263 012303Z

EXPLAIN SUBJECT VISIT PUBLICLY, EITHER BEFORE OR AFTER THE FACT.
LANE

SECRET

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: Z
Capture Date: 01 jan 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: SECURITY, VISITS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 01 feb 1978
Decaption Date: 20 Mar 2014
Decaption Note: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 20 Mar 2014
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1978HAVANA00263
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: GS
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D780048-1080
Format: TEL
From: HAVANA
Handling Restrictions:
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1978/newtext/t197802107/aaaadmvn.tel
Line Count: 57
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: 407308ce-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ACTION SS
Original Classification: SECRET
Original Handling Restrictions: EXDIS, STADIS
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: SECRET
Previous Handling Restrictions: EXDIS, STADIS
Reference: 78 STATE 24389
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 25 jul 2005
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 3445681
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: PROFESSOR BLAKEY
TAGS: PINR, OVIP, CU, US, (BLAKEY, G ROBERT)
To: STATE
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odb://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/407308ce-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Sheryl P. Walter
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
20 Mar 2014
Markings: Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014